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PSC APPROVES WATER APPLICATION

Jefferson City (September 8, 2004)---The Missouri Public Service Commission has approved an application authorizing the Village Greens Water Company to own, operate and maintain a water system in the Village of Parkway in Franklin County.

In a memorandum filed with the Commission, the PSC Staff recommended the application be approved. In Staff's opinion there is a need for water service in the new subdivision and the Company's proposal, as modified, is reasonable. The PSC Staff believes the Village Greens Water Company has the technical, managerial and financial capacity to construct, own and operate a water system. The PSC Staff and the Village Greens Water Company arrived at a monthly residential rate of \$29.59 which includes the first 3,000 gallons of usage, plus \$2.74 for each additional 1,000 gallons of usage.

The Commission's order approving the application states: "The Commission has reviewed the Company's application and Staff's (PSC Staff) memorandum and finds it is necessary and convenient for the public interest for Village Greens to construct, install, own, operate, control, manage and maintain a water system. The Commission will therefore grant a certificate of convenience and necessity consistent with Staff's memorandum."

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